

AHRQ ECHO National Nursing Home, COVID-19 Action Network Phase 2 (Nursing Home CAN Phase 2)

Cohorts 1 & 2- Tues 12-1:30p

Cohort 3 Wed 1-2:30p

Cohort 4 Thurs 12-1:30p

Nursing Home CAN Phase 2 website: https://rwjms.rutgers.edu/community_health/project-echo/nursing-home-can

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Learning Objectives

After participating in ECHO, providers will be able to:

- Learn & implement emergency response strategies to prevent COVID-19 from entering nursing home facilities via staff, visitors, and residents
- Learn & implement best practices to prevent greater spread of the virus among patients and staff should an outbreak occur
- Learn & implement best practice care methods and treatments for residents who test positive for COVID-19
- Adopt best practice safety measures to protect staff from infection, help staff build confidence in their work, and to support staff retention
- Address and support the emotional & organizational needs of staff, residents, and families
- Support NJ State quality and safety goals for nursing homes
- Use the ECHO guided-practice, tele-mentoring model for learning, quality improvement and self-sustaining process improvement

Series Curriculum

Week	Date	Didactic Topic	Didactic Presenter
Post-Vaccination Practices			
1	4/26-4/28/21	Post-Vaccination Practices Needed in Nursing Homes	Hub Team
2	5/4-5/6/21	Visitation Guidelines, Family Communication & Impact of the COVID-19 Vaccine	Hub Team
3	5/11-5/13/21	Strategies for Risk Mitigation, Adherence to COVID-19 Infection Prevention & PPE Usage Post-Vaccination	Hub Team
4	5/18-5/20/21	Considerations for Workforce Modifications Post-Vaccination	Hub Team
Ongoing COVID-19 Identification & Treatment			
5	5/25-5/27/21	Daily Monitoring and Assessment of Staff, Residents & Visitors	Hub Team

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6	6/1-6/3/21	Communicating Changes in Resident Risk	Hub Team
7	6/8-6/10/21	Rapid Response to COVID-19: Exposure, Risk, Diagnosis & Appropriate Treatment Options	Hub Team
8	6/15-6/17/21	Improving your COVID-19 Outbreak Response Plan	Hub Team
Emotional & Organizational Support for Staff, Residents & Families			
9	6/22-6/24/21	Introduction to Trauma Informed Care: Fundamental Principles of Safety and Trust	Hub Team
10	6/29-7/1/21	The Connection Between Emotional Intelligence & Stress Response	Hub Team
11	7/6-7/8/21	Effective Leadership & Communication: Integrating a Mourning Practice into Nursing Home Culture while Strengthening Family Connections	Hub Team
12	7/13-7/15/21	Managing Social Isolation during COVID-19: Perspectives on Staff, Residents & Families	Hub Team
Stopping the Spread: Sustainable Infection Prevention*			
13	7/20-7/22/21	Preventing & Limiting the Spread of COVID-19 in Nursing Homes	Hub Team
14	7/27-7/29/21	Identify Connections between your COVID-19 Improvement Work & QAPI Process	Hub Team
15	8/3-8/5/21	Embracing a Culture of Safety: Effective Communication & Implementation	Hub Team
16	8/10-8/12/21	Building Sustainable Infection Control Practices	Hub Team
17	8/17-8/19/21	Open Topic	Hub Team
18	8/24-8/26/21	Open Topic	Hub Team

For More Information

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*Module 4 (Stopping the Spread) –IHI has not completed content, topics are placeholders for now